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RESPONSE

Hon. Commissioner for Patents

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated February 6, 2006, the following remarks are made:

In deference to the restriction requirement on page 2 of the above-identified Office Action, applicants elect group I, claims 1 - 10 for prosecution at this time.

Rejoinder of the method claims upon the conclusion of the examination of the product claims is requested.

In view of the foregoing, the early issuance of an Action on the merits of claims 1 - 10 is solicited.

Respectfully submitted.

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